

It is my understanding that you are considering altering the privacy act for the state of Indiana. Please reconsider your position on this matter. Since signing up for this is completely optional, it should be every citizens right to be able to keep their privacy. The right of free speech should not interfere with a person's right to privacy. I was annoyed by these calls at all times of the day and night, even up to 11 p.m. Since I have signed up to keep these calls from bothering me, my life and that of my family has vastly improved by our dispositions, quality time together without annoying distractions that have nothing to do with our interests. We received at least 15-20 calls per week; on the list, we seldom receive 3-5 calls per week. I do not like being solicited for matters that neither interest me or for information that is no one else's business. Requesting survey information should not be allowed by phone. The surveyors should have to spend their money to mail their packets to people thereby having to support the postal system and giving me the opportunity to recycle the paper to assist organizations that I support. I have been able to have dinner with my family, sit & read the paper in peace with my family and spend quality time with them without interruption from a phone call that I have no interest in and disrupts our family time.

Please reconsider your action on this matter and leave the situation as is. If someone wants to receive these calls, they do not have to sign the list to keep their number out of circulation. There is enough spam on the internet; we do not need it on the phone also.

Thank you for letting me express my opinion and hope that you will take it into consideration when you proceed.